Title 29 DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE Subtitle 06 FIRE PREVENTION COMMISSION

29.06.05 Fire Sprinkler Contractor Licensing Regulations

Authority: Public Safety Article, §§6-206 and 9-901—9-905, Annotated Code of Maryland

Notice of Proposed Action

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The Secretary of State Police proposes to amend Regulation .03 under COMAR 29.06.05 Fire Sprinkler Contractor Licensing Regulations.

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this action is to amend the definition of "designated qualified individual" pursuant to Public Safety Article, §§6-206 and 9-901—9-905, Annotated Code of Maryland.

Comparison to Federal Standards

There is no corresponding federal standard to this proposed action.

Estimate of Economic Impact

The proposed action has no economic impact.

Economic Impact on Small Businesses

The proposed action has minimal or no economic impact on small businesses.

Impact on Individuals with Disabilities

The proposed action has no impact on individuals with disabilities.

Opportunity for Public Comment

Comments may be sent to Brandon Gosnell, Sergeant, Maryland State Police, 1201 Reisterstown Road, Pikesville, MD 21208, or call 410-653-4375, or email to brandon.gosnell@maryland.gov, or fax to 410-653-4473. Comments will be accepted through September 3, 2019. A public hearing has been scheduled for 9:30 a.m., August 15, 2019, at Laurel Municipal Building, 8103 Sandy Spring Road, Council Chambers, Laurel, MD 20707.

.03 Definitions.

- A. (text unchanged)
- B. Terms Defined.
- (1) "Designated qualified individual" means an owner or permanent and dedicated employee of a fire sprinkler contractor, who is responsible for overseeing work performed by other persons employed by the contractor, and who possesses the required NICET *or equivalent* qualification or professional engineer qualifications in accordance with the appropriate class of license as listed in this chapter.
 - (2)—(11) (text unchanged)

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